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| HERBICIDE-RESISTANT PLANTS, AND POLYNUCLEOTIDES AND METHODS FOR PROVIDING SAME  |                              |                   |                                     |  |                       |  |                      |  |  |
|   |                              | (Title of th      | ne Invention)                       |  | •                     |  |                      |  |  |
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| I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.  |                              |                   |                                     |  |                       |  |                      |  |  |
| I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation in-part-applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.   |                              |                   |                                     |  |                       |  |                      |  |  |
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